News of the World of Sports from The Journal's Correspondents

HORSES WITH RECORDS IN THE LACKEY SALE

Many Consignments of Fine Animals to Be Offered to Buyers This Week.

TELLMAIN THE LIST

Handsome Mare Has Made Trials in 2:19 1-4-Other Fast Horses to Be Sold.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CAMBRIDGE CITY, Ind., March 5 .- The season's annual event of interest to horsemen and fanciers, the John S. Lackey combination speed sale of blooded horses, will be held next week, opening on Tuesday and closing on Saturday. Thousands of catalogues announcing the choicest offerings of many leading stockfarms of Kentucky, Ohio, Illinois and Indiana within its covers, have gone from this city to every horseman, breeder and dealer of prominence in hamlet and city in the country and from inquiries resulting from this wide distribution the attendance promises

to be above the average. Aiready this enterprising little city has begun its preparation to receive and accommodate the influx of horsemen which annually attend these sales. "Hotels for one week only," and eating houses at "popular prices" spring up like magic prior to the rush, and private families alike keep open house to shelter and entertain the Special to the Indianapolis Journal. guests of Mr. Lackey during this very busy

auction on a gigantic scale first occurred to | Polytechnic here to-night by following year that, in co-operation with to finish, but Captain Maxwell's that of the original sale, that of the second was in 1893, when Mr. Lackey tried the ven- Harmeson Forward Bailey ture at Indianapolis, but the project did not pay and was not repeated. MR. LACKEY'S POLICY.

It has always been the policy of Mr. Lackey to protect the interests of both buyer and seller and this accounts for the success of his sales. To insure the consignor from loss 20 per cent. of the purchasing price must be paid at the time the animal is knocked off to the successful bidguarantee is forfeited. The large pavilion | ing in the West will be represented at this is of commodious build, over a square in length, and capable of accommodating sev- are English Lad, Proceeds, Precious Stone Contract assigned: By Cincinnati to St. Contract assigned: By Cincinnati to St. Contract assigned: By Cincinnati to St. Release—By Pittsburg to Columbus—A. A. the exchange of horses is effected complete shelter. Through the middle of this building the horses are speeded and the seller has the ability to show his stock speedway, while the buyer can see his future horse step down the line in true

These sales have continued periodically for sixteen years and nearly \$2,000,000 worth of horses have been sold in this city. During this time many of the horses sold have given the sporting world astonishing records. The performance of the world's champion pacing gelding last season, Prince Crown Prince, in reducing the the world to 1:57 is of special interest to patrons of the Cambridge City | Warte Nicht at Ascot Park to-day. Stuyve was consigned to the Lackey sale in 1896 and sold on March 14 for \$800, which price at that time appeared a low one horse had never been worked its a good race and was beaten only half a limit and from the frequent bursts of speed It was easily seen that the sale contained a bright prospect. At the time of sale his | months. Four favorites won, three of them owner, G. W. Fort, of Knightstown, had being odds on. The other two races went given the geiding a record of 2:15%. Barney Demarest, of Kingston, N. Y., was the supposed purchaser of the animal, but the real identity of ownership has never been quite clear, despite the fact that many 4 to 5, won; Skirmish, 103 (Lawrence), 7 to papers purported to contain the history of gelding at the time the present record | third. Time, 1:15.

FINE HORSES IN SALE. The present sale marks the seventeenth casion and the catalogue contains the class of stock that has been popular in the past. The catalogue lists some of the Lackey sale, close to five hundred week. Of the forty or more stock farms ond; Rag Tag, 100 (J. Lewis), 5 to 1, third. head will change ownership the following represented the following are of special Time, 1:404.

Hilligoss & So, Homer, Ind., has a con- 2 to 1, second; Platonius, 109 (J. Boland), 21/2 Geo. W. Lederer, 2:184. In this bunch of Sixth-Slauson course, selling: Jane Holly, two-year-olds Grace H. (3), 2:371/2, heads the 163 (Hildebrand), 3 to 5, won; Jim Hale, 112 (Bell), 6 to 1, third. Time, :49. The list also includes Fred H. (2), 2:3814, has worked a mile as a two-year-old in 2:27, with a half in 1:10; Mack H. (3), with a trial of 33 seconds in the last quarter: Sally H. as a two-year-old worked a half

Ballenger & Co., of Indianapolis, have a consignment of top-notchers, including Tellma, trotter, with a record of 2:19%, bay mare by Axtell (3), 2:12, dam of Jersey Wilkes. This handsome mare has made trials in 2:15. Dick Welsh, pacer, gelding, by Paul N., son of Empire Wilkes, dam by Jim Monroe, and has stepped trials in 2:1114: Granville, trotter, black gelding, by Rex Princeton, dam by Hawpatch, has a trial record of 2:19%; Allen B. (6), trotter, bay gelding, by Bernal, 2:17, in training six weeks and showed a trial of 2:2214. A. H. Jewell stockfarm, of Lexington, Ky., consigns a carload of Kentucky saddle horses that have sold with such a rush

G. W. Snyder, of Springfield, O., consigns a great lot of matched teams, coach and business horses. The consignment contains twelve selects. H. D. Bond, of this city, in closing out his stable, consigns Miss Bond, one of the com-

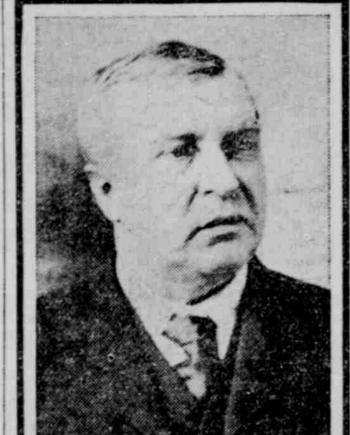
ing trotters, by Allerton, 2:0914, dam La-R. F. Boaz, of Ridge Farm, Ills., offers a consignment of ten, including Gold Coin, one of the most handsome geldings in

America. Isaac Bates, of Cincinnati, has a choice consignment which includes Mary Tudor, a pacer with a trial of 2:1314. This handsome black mare has made quite a record as a matinee racer, having won thirteen matinee races. She was foaled in 1897 and sired by Venture, 2:00%. The consignment includes several pacers with records. R. L. Bebout, of Rushville, consigns sev- and a quarter was covered within a fifth

eral racers. The principal one is Ravenna of a second of track record time. The race Wilkes, pacer, with a record of 2:15%. Moody & Sons, of Muncie, consigns a worthy lot, including Pearl Patchen, trot- who was backed from tens to twos, was ter, with a trial of 2:31 in three months' work. Also Almont McGregor, trotter, and a half brother to Fannie McGuire, 2:1714.

The following are some of the horses consigned, with records: Red Patchen, 2:16, Alvina Wilkes, 2:1014; Lazarre, 2:13; Robert M., 2:144; Ravenna Wilkes, 2:1514; Clifty Hal, 2:1814; Guy M., 2:1914; Tellma, 2:1914; Florence Stanton, 2:1914; Dave Wonder, 2:1914; Celeste, 2:1915; Jim F., 2:224; Darnifino, 2:234; Tootsie A., 2:2414; Rose Cleveland, 2:2414; Camille G., Dorcas Moore, 2:2414; Prince F. 2:24%; Camper Boy, 2:24%; Minnie H., 2:24%; Sontiment, 2:2614; Gilfillan, 2:2614; Ossie S., 2:274; Raz Allen, 2:274; Arteres, 2:294; Lyle S., 2:294; Dick Welsh, 2:294; Helen (matinee), 2:3214; Grace H., (3), 2:3714; Fred

H.: 2:381/2, and Hobson, 2:491/4. The following "youngsters" show trials second; Albert F. Dewey, 101 (E. Waslh), better than 2:41: Major McKinley, 2:121/2; Mary Tudor, 2:1314; Fleetfoot (3) 2:1315; Pearlmont, 2:14; Clarence M., 2:16; Cindrella, 2:18; Granville | Howell), 7 to 1, second; Banana Cream, 104 A., 2:194; Upper Ten, 2:194; Berunder, 2:194; Bobby Boy, 2:29; Lilly Winship, 2:204; Robert W., 2:22; Gail Patchen (2), 2:23; Katherine L., 2:23; Allen B., 2:2312; Neille Elder, 2:24; Topsey, 2:24; Lady Dugan, 2:251/2; Mach H., (2), 2:26; Torrent Dietate, 2:27; Lealand, 2:27; Littlepage, 2:274; Decoration, 2:28; The Farrier, 2:28; John L. (3), 2:28; Ruby G., 2:28; Belle R., 2:281/2; Albert L., 2:30; Pirate, 2:30; Belon, 2:30; Queen Onvailer, 2:30; Pearl Patchen, 2:31; Dora L. 2:314; Lucy, 2:35; Norseman, jr., 2:35; Bet- Boundling, 110; Balm of Gilead, 113. sey Fisher, 2:41, and Sallie H. (2), a half in Second-Five and & half furlongs; purse: ond; Welcome Light, Weird II, Caddle Mac, 99; Sneer, Congress, I, third. Time, 1:48%.



JOHN S. LACKEY. Manager Lackey Horse Sale.

INDIANA'S FAST FIVE

Game Snappy Throughout, but Capt. Maxwell's Men Showed Best Team Work.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 5.-In the swiftest game of the season the Indiana The selling of fancy-bred horses in public | University basketball team defeated Rose Mr. Lackey in 1887, but it was not until the | to 19. The game was snappy from start Fred Carmony, of this city, he held his showed better team work than the visit- in the first half of April. first sale. With but two exceptions the ors. Hubbell, the new Indiana guard, disalways remained the same as tinguished himself by his good playing. | CONTRACTS SIGNED Line-up and summary

> Penn..... ForwardThurman Maxwell..... Center..... Trueblood Taber..... GuardBarbarzette Hubbell.....Johnson Score-Indiana, 50; Rose Poly, 19. Goals from field-Maxwell, 13; Penn, 6; Harmeson, 6; Trueblood, 2; Thurman, 2; Bailey, Hester. Umpire-Brady.

Stars In Kansas City Derby.

KANSAS CITY, March 5 .- One hundred meeting. Many turf stars are entered for

Stuyve Injured in Race.

dro selling stakes at one mile, the gross

value of which was \$1,760, was won by

suffered a severe cut on the left hind leg

First Race-Three-quarters of a mile,

selling: Katherine Ennis, 108 (Hildebrand),

1, second; Andrattus, 105 (J. Lewis), 4 to 1,

Second-Eleven-sixteenths of a mile

Golden Mineral, 102 (Hildebrand), 1 to, 3,

won; Pat Bulger, 113 (J. Boland), 4 to 1, second; Foncasta, 100 (Mountain), 4 to 1,

Third-Mile and an eighth, hurdle, handi-

cap: Heir Apparent, 140 (Sutherland), 3 to 1,

won; Sir Hugh, 153 (Schimmel), 21/2 to 1,

second: Double O. 160 (Archibald), even,

hird. Time, 2:0314. Fourth-One mile, San Pedro selling

stakes: Warte Nicht, 96 (J. Booker), 4 to 1

Fifth-One mile, selling: Iras 103 (Hildebrand), 2 to 1, won; Ultruda, 109 (J. Lewis),

(Mountain), 21/2 to 1, second; Eugenie B.,

First Race-One mile, selling: Annie Rob-

uson, Quiet, 95; Picture, 100; Glen Rice,

Physe, 105; Chemist, Bassanio, 107; Ting-a-

Ling, 108; Major Dixon, Jingler, Jim Gore

Second-Slauson course, selling: Fox

Lake, Mistletide, 102; Matlatka, 105; Neko,

Third-Mile and seventy yards, selling:

Lady Fonse, Miss Betty, 94; Turle, 95; All About, El Oriente, Thota, 107; Lou Welsea,

Fourth-Handicap, seven-eighths of a mile:

Buccleuth, 90; Columbia Girl, 92; Elwood,

King, 100; Glen Nevis, 100; Fustian, 108;

Fifth-Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Maz-

Sixth-Three-quarters of a mile, selling:

Egg Nogg, Blue Miracle, Chief Aloha, 162;

Rosebud, Damisella, Maresa, 163; Mac

Flecknoe, Innisbruce, Waiter, 105; Dolly

Tribe's Hill in Close Finish.

NEW ORLEANS, March 5.-Ostrich's

performances in the Oakland handicap to-

day, when he ran second to Tribes Hill, the

favorite, and forced him out to the last

ounce, gave the talent a line on the colt's

chances in the Oakland derby. It was a

was worth \$1,305 to the winner. Athlana,

the other winning favorite. The weather

First Race-Seven furlongs: John Doyle

132 (Livingston), 12 to 1, won; Yellow Ham-

mer. 104 (Salling), 15 to 2, second; Scotch

Thistle, 109 (H. Phillips), 2 to 1, third. Time,

Second-Selling; mile and a sixteenth;

MacBeth, 163 (Livingston), 13 to 1, won;

Mauser, 104 (Aubuchon), 2 to 1, second; Lee

King, 110 (Fuller), 4 to 1, third, Time, 1:48.

mont, 97 (E. Waish), 9 to 2, won; Malster,

113 (Higgins), 7 to 5, second; Palmist, 107

Fourth-Oakland handicap; mile and a

quarter: Tribes Hill, 113 (W. Hicks), 6 to 5.

won; Ostrich, 100 (H. Phillips), 13 to 5

Fifth-Selling; six furlongs: Athlana, 111

Sixth-Mile: Past, 165 (McCafferty), 7 to

First Race-Six furlongs; selling; Sid Sil-

ver, 102; Bud Embry, Uranium, Frank Rice,

Dutch Carter, 105; Reckoner, Amorous,

(Fuller), 2 to 1, won; Sid Sflver, 104 (C.

(H. Phillips), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 4-5.

New Orleans entries for Monday:

(Robbins), 15 to 1, third, Time, 1:07.

9 to 1, third. Time, 2:06 1-5.

third. Time, 1:42.

Third-Five and one-half furlongs; Clare-

was clear and the track fast. Summary:

race from beginning to end and the mile

zo, 96; C. B. Campbell, 102; Fortunatus, 105;

95; Formaster, 92; Sail, Felipe Lego, Elfin

11, Mac Gyle, Flamero, 110; Gibraltar, 113.

87 (J. Lewis), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:11,

Los Angeles entries for Monday:

Luner, Canejo, 110; Marta, 112.

Ocean Dream, 112.

Farmer Jim, 115.

Namter, 114.

third. Time, 1:071/6

LOS ANGELES, March 5 .- The San Pe-

RACES AT LOS ANGELES,

NEW ORLEANS, OAKLAND

GRAND RAPIDS OWNER HAS NO DOWNTOWN PARK

It Is Said that Magnate Collins Has Done Little for Central League.

TO DEPOSIT GUARANTEE

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 5 .- Whether or not A. H. Collins is really getting ready to put a Central League baseball club in Grand Rapids will be made known at the league meeting to be held in South Bend Monday, and on which occasion President Bement has notified holders of franchises to be ready to deposit the \$500 guarantee money. It seems that Collins is a Fort Wayne man who visits Grand Rapids frequently in a business way. He is indorsed by President Mautnor, of the Fort Wayne club, and by President Halderman, o Marion, and President Bement, of the league says he still has faith in him. The doubt has arisen because one Grand Rapids newspaper says he has done nothing to get a down-town park, which is admittedly an essential to successful baseball in Grand DEFEATED ROSE POLY Rapids. The same newspaper says he does not in fact own the franchise; that it is held by Halderman and perhaps Bement. On the other hand Grand Rapids newspapers say there is an ulterior motive in It was reported this week that President Bement would visit Grand Rapids before the time of the South Bend meeting and

> learn just how matters stand there. Mr. Bement said he had written to Collins several times but failed to get answers. Manager Kelly, of the St. Paul club, has ngaged hotel accommodations in Terre Haute for twenty men, beginning March The Terre Haute Central League playmission game with St. Paul on Easter Sunday, April 3. Several of the major league

BY BIG LEAGUERS

NEW YORK, March 5 .- President Harry C. Pulliam, of the National League, has isplayers as follows: Contracts: With Boston-D. C. Cooley, James C. Delehanty, F. Goals from foul-Thurman, 5. Referee, C. Raymer, H. J. Carney, Irving K. Wilhelm and J. B. Stanley. With Chicago-John J. O'Neill and Mordecai Brown. With St. Louis-Peter Dowling. With Pittsburg -Fred W. Veil. Fred Carisch and Otto A. Krueger, With Philadelphia-Harry Wolverton, Frank C. Roth, William R Marshall, T. F. Sparks, Roy A. Thomas, Thomas A. Berry, Thomas Fleming, John McPherson, R. E. Hulswitt, William B. Douglass, John C. Barry, R. P. Hall, John C. Lush, John C. Brackenridge, Charles S. Dooin and Hugh Duffy.

Sparrowcop, 109, Tom O'Day, 112.

Silver Meade, 95; Establish, 102; Rollick II.

Grafter Won Long Race.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.-Grafter

took the Waterhouse cup at two and a

quarter miles at Oakland to-day, beating

Veterano a neck, while Horatius, a favor-

ite, was third. When the final quarter

was reached Veterano made a bold bid, but

could not get up. The event was valued

Me, 106 (J. Martin), 3 to 1, won; Argot, 96

(Travers), 5 to 1, second; Dora I., 161 (Holbrook), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:13.

Second-Half-mile; purse: George P. Mc-

Near, 116 (See), 5 to 1, won; The Mist, 109 (J. Martin), 9 to 10, second; Edge Cliff, 104

Third-Futurity course; selling: Titus, 99

(Butler), 15 to 1, won; Our Pride, 103 (Bux-

ton), 8 to 1, second; Foxy Grandpa, 30 (T.

Fourth-Two and one-quarter miles; Wa-

terhouse cup handicap: Grafter, 105

(Crossthwaite), 7 to 1, won; Veterano, 101

(J. Martin), 21/2 to 1, second: Horatius, 108

Fifth-Six furlongs; selling: Hainault, 106

Sixth-One mile and fifty yards; selling:

Woods, 109 (J. Martin), 4 to 1, third. Time,

First Race-Five and one-half furlongs:

Hirtle, Cathello, Mattie Clark, 105; Priest,

Rene, 101; Amorund, 94; Rustie Girl, 100;

Ulloa, Egyptian Princess, Argot, 103; Blon-

iura, 106; Virgie D'Or, 98; Dora I., Nellie,

Second-Three and one-half furlongs;

purse: Only, Jimmie, 105; Escobosa, Holli-

Third-Seven furlongs: Pastmaster, Billy

Moore, The Miller, 102; Rimrock, 105; Rip-

per, 107; Assessment, Sim W., 107; Judge

Fourth-One mile and seventy yards; sell-

ing: Martin, 95; Sue Johnson, 96; Montana

Peeress, 29; David S., 103; The Fretter, 106;

Lansdowne, 102; Kitty Kelly, 100; Alice

Sixth-Six and one-half furlongs; purse;

Young Pepper, Hugh McGown, Anirad, 107;

Honolulu a Winner.

Second-Four and one-half furlongs:

Never Fret, 120 (Dominick), 3 to 5, won;

Jim Along, 120 (Donovan), 31/2 to 1, second;

Third-Hurdles; mile and a quarter;

ton Hotel purse; selling: Honolulu, 104

(Bartley), 7 to 1, third. Time, 2:19.

Pat Morrissey, Frank Woods, 110.

Flaneur, Saintly, 110; Handpress, 113.

Voorhees, Dr. Long, Sunello, Elmer L.,

gan, Anita Knight, Abbie, Lady Ninora,

Keynote, 104 (C. Smith), 4 to 1, won; Byron-

(Travers), 6 to 5, won; Misty's Pride, 106 (J. T. Sheehan), 5 to 1, second; Mimo, 104

(I. Powell), 236 to 1, third. Time, 3:58.

(Buxton), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:15.

Oakland entries for Monday:

Bawn, Nonie, Cherries, 110.

Black Thorne, 110.

Mack, 112. Toledo, 115.

third. Time, 1:15.

third. Time, 1:41%.

Weithoff, 110; Madam Bishop, 113; Evander, Norinne, Mildred B., Edna Sullivan, Velma,

Knapp), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:121/4.

Regent, 104; Laurellighter, 105.

Moderator, Prince Richard, 112.

Satire, Arden, 115.

at \$4,250. Summary:

TELLMA, 2:19%. To Be Sold at Lackey Horse Sale.

INTERESTING GOSSIP OF POLO IN TWO BIG LEAGUES

Some of the Western League Magnates Are Now Seeking Franchises in the Proposed National Organization

Western League Games This Week. | week between the Lafayette and Terre Haute clubs. Frank Mullen worked his old -Monday .-Indianapolis at Anderson. Marion at Muncle. -Tuesday .-

Anderson at Indianapolis. Richmond at Elwood. -Wednesday .-Marion at Richmond. -Thursday .-

Elwood at Muncie. Richmond at Marion. -Friday.-Indianapolis at Elwood Muncie at Anderson. -Saturday.-

Elwood at Indianapolis. Muncie at Marion. Anderson at Richmond

Central League Games This Week. -Monday .-Kokomo at Terre Haute.

Lafayette at Fort Wayne. -Tuesday.-Terre Haute at Kokomo. Logansport at Danville. -Wednesday .-Danville at Lafayette. Terre Haute at Fort Wayne.

-Thursday .-Lafayette at Logansport. Fort Wayne at Danville. -Friday.-Logansport at Terre Haute.

Fort Wayne at Lafayette. -Saturday.-Danville at Kokomo.

Logansport at Fort Wayne. The Indianapolis and Muncie teams have been playing more consistently in the last AND HOT SPRINGS TRACKS two weeks than any of the other quintet in either of the two polo leagues. Muncie has been winning with a sameness and case which is giving the fans of other cities pal-Dr. Loder, 101; Triple Silver, 102; I Must, Young Jesse, 104; Arthur, Magdala, 107; pitation of the heart. Winning by wide margins seems so easy for Farrell's men Third-Mile; purse: Redman, 93; Inquisthat Muncie polo lovers now expect them to itive Girl, 95; Clangor, 96; Plautus, 97; The win with at least ten points to spare. If Fourth-Mile and seventy yards; selling: Muncie were to lose a game at home the players would have to seek police protec-Mint Bed, 105; John, 107; Past, North Wind, 10; Jake Weber, Bengal, 112; Prodigal Son, tion. There is little danger of the team losing a game at home or any place else Fifth-Mile; selling: Hickory Corners, 112; if it continues to play the polo that has Henry of Franstamar, Badger, Anti-trust, landed it at the top. That is Muncie's 116; Sabinal, 117; Nabocklish, 119; Dr. Carrick, 120; Aules, Kingston, Dr. Hart, 121; 'consistency." On the other hand the local five has been losing with a genuine good Sixth-Mile and seventy yards; selling: Chanley, Feronia, Hardly, Louis Kraft, 105; nature. Any club in the Western League Wellesley, 107; Eliza Dillon, Larry Wilt, Gracious, George A. Gardner, Ermack, 110; Bourke Cochran, Weird, 112. home attendance found to its good fortune

that McGilvray's Indians were just the ones to fill the long-felt want. The Marion fans are still heaping coals of fire upon the head of Manager Joe Fox for the failure of the Marion quintet to hold first place. No combination in the country could win from Muncie while the Farrell five keeps up its present gait. Richmond is not to be taken into consideration where First Race-Futurity course; selling; Skip real polo playing is a factor. Bone is almost the equal of either of the mighty pair, Lewis and Hart. Bone tries to play clean

Joe Fox was "roasted to a frazzle" when from Terre Haute. he tried to trade Frank Warner for Dicky Pierce. The wise ones kept still, awaiting the consummation of the trade, but the Marion polo lovers promptly drew up a petition saying that they would boycott the Marion rink and team if Warner were erdale, 102 (Travers), 3 to 1, second; Frank traded for Pierce. After the trade fell two rushers, made the prediction that if son, but time will tell. Fred Lewis and Dicky Pierce were to pair on a rush line they would show some of the most wonderful polo playing this country has known. Pierce is right now playing swifter polo than any member of the Indianapolis team, and it is not his fault that the club holds the lowest position in the race.

McGrath, the big Fort Wayne half back, is laid up with a broken leg. He will not Indian, "Izzy" Whipple. Whipple's abilfans are heartily glad that Whipple is for once on a champion team. He was a great Fifth-Six furlongs; selling: Clausus, favorite in this city.

Carey, 96; Meehanus, 104; Mocorito, 108; Polo writers are "handing it" to Secretary David Durbin in no gentle language in several cities of the circuit. He has sold Solanus, Scherzo, Sailor Knot, 100; Loud son is entirely out of polo. It is little won- Grays once playing three times in Indiander that he would sell the franchise as it apolis in ten days. It looks as though the HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 5 .- Hono-Stories to the effect that Mr. Durbin has an | schedule under which the clubs are now lulu, ridden by Cormack, wen the Arling- option on a National League franchise are rife. Stories that other Western League ofton Hotel purse to-day at a mile and a ficials were looking for berths in the new sixteenth. Paul Whaley was second and organization are also in circulation. It is a Ralph Young third. Weather clear; track betting proposition that Indianapolis and Richmond will be the only cities now mem-First Race-Three-fourths of a mile, sellbers of the Western League who will have ing: Mike Strauss, 110 (Castro), 2 to 1, won; | teams in the big league. And Richmond Dusky Secret, 105 (Fisher), 7 to 1, second; will play cleaner polo under a new set of Miss Guido, 103 (John Hennessy), 8 to 1, officials and referees.

Marion polo fans are getting up a \$200 Duelist, 120 (Fisher), 41/2 to 1, third. Time, rion quintet should Fox's men land the Pheory, 142 (Peters), 1 to 2, won; Acolade, is to be divided equally among the five 125 (Wickline), 15 to 1, second; Bon Ami, 140 players and Manager Joe Fox. Had the The big leagues would foster such a movefans allowed Mr. Fox to handle the reins | ment and give it every aid in their power. Fourth-Mile and one-sixteenth: Arling- as he saw fit Marion would have stood a better chance of winning. They will some (Cormack), 8 to 5, won; Paul Whaley, 104 day learn that Frank Warner never was I, won; McWilliams, 111 (W. Hicks), 6 to 1, (Donovan), 21/2 to 1, second; Ralph Young, and never will be the equal of one Dickey Special to the Indianapolis Journal. second; Miss West, 100 (Robbins), 17 to 1, 84 (John Hennessy), 4 to 1, third. Time, Pierce.

Fifth-One mile: Palmreader, 112 (Dono-A meeting of Central League officials and van), 21/2 to 1, won; Cohasset, 105 (Cormack), magnates will soon be held at the Imperial 3 to 1, second; Annora J., 97 (Dealy), 8 to 1. Hotel in this city. Several protested games June Collins, 107; Our Jessie, 108; Pretorius, Flora Bright, 106 (Hoffler), 8 to 5, won; Buglehorn, 89 (J. Hennessy), 6 to 1, second; Welcome Light, 106 (Cormack), 15 to games, Captain "Long John" Wiley, of Lafayette, will protest a game played last

trick of leaving the floor, claiming a broken skate while in reality one of the other players had broken a skate and Mullen did not wish a substitute to be played as the score was very close. With the goal tender out the game could not be continued until he returned, and Mullen stayed out long enough to allow the player to repair the

Jack Grim, manager of the Marlon Central League baseball team, has signed George Cunningham, jr., of the Richmond polo team, to play third base this season. Cunningham was recommended to Grim by Clarence Jessup, goal tender and captain of "Fighting Five," as being a fast and clever fielder and a good sticker. He will be retained if he makes good on the third

Poor old Peggy White! The ex-goal tender of a once champion team is now being buffeted about from pillar to post in the Central League and has no place he can really call his own. When last heard of he was playing the cage position for the Logansport club, John Berry being out with a list for Elwood and probably will be sold by Seborn at the close of the present season. To show his gameness Berry offered to go into the game with his broken hand and play if a cage guardian could not be secured in time to take his place. The onetime Indian has plenty of grit and this was shown several times in this city while he was doing time under Hipson.

Bobby Hart, the great goal-getter of caged. The wonderful Lewis has even fallen below Hart by a wide margin. It is up to the other line men to get busy, and that in a hurry, if they have any desire to stop the upward march of Hart.

Some time ago the remark was made by standing was the direct and natural result of manipulation on the part of the league officials and managers. This remark did not come from Indianapolis. This city is

The many wonderful stops made by 'Seventeen-legged" Mallory, goal tender of the Anderson team, have at last been explained. On Thursday night of last week the Anderson and Muncie quintets played in Muncie. The game resulted in a 7-to-4 that needed a winning to increase its at- victory for the Western leaders after the Anderson aggregation had taken a lead of three points in the first period. Between the second and third periods Captain "Wild Charley" Farrell, of Muncle, ordered the referee to measure the shin pads worn by Mallory. Referee Smith did so and found them to be slightly over twelve inches in width, while the regulation pad is supposed to be no wider than nine inches. A question for the fans to work on is, How many games has the Anderson club laid open to protest by Mallory's infraction of the

A story is in circulation that Joe Fox, other members of his club persist in using Manager Bronson committee a breach of faith by allowing Hipson to go to Marion. football tactics in the game? Bone is When the local management was offering blamed just as much as the other four the best kind of inducements for players members of the club, but he has really Bronson stated to Manager Cohen that if committed no wrong. Richmond holds sec- he did make a change of any kind he would ond place, by playing the roughest kind of give Indianapolis the first chance. Mr. polo and getting away with it in plain sight | Cohen did not desire the services of Hipson, but he had an excellent trade and would have purchased Hipson's release

The Kokomo and Lafayette clubs are still fighting for second place in the Central League. Friday night's game between the two clubs resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 11 to 2, and gave it second place by a narrow margin. On paper through the managers, players and polo it looks as though Lafayette should hold writers who knew the style play of the the second position at the close of the sea-

Barney Doherty, half back of the Richmond team, and one of the "heavenly twins," again displayed his angelic temper in the game against Anderson Friday night. He continually slammed Jack Mercer against the rail, until the Anderson rusher was compelled to leave the game. Will the league officials and managers stand this forever? It looks as though the blonde half back had them "buffaloed," as well as the smaller players. It will be some time before he will again lock horns with Levi Foster, of the Indianapolis team. The local player ity to play any position has made him administered a few bumps to the Quaker valuable to the Fort Wayne team. Local | pet the last time the two clubs played here.

The peculiarities of David Durbin have cropped out in many places the present season, but as a schedule-maker he stands in Last Year's Clubs Will Enter He Says Colored Man Can Go class by himself. The Anderson team played here last night. It plays here again Tuesday night, Elwood, Richmond and Marion have also played doubles here, the was simply a large-sized gold brick. Western League secretary drew up the playing while suffering from an attack of

> A polo league composed of cities the size of Crawfordsville, Columbus or Alexandria sportspromoter of Columbus was in Indianapolls one day last week looking over the league could be arranged, of course making no bids for any players who are at present members of professional clubs. A league of this kind would give the amateurs of the Western and Central League cities a

Rensselaer Girls Won.

HAMMOND, Ind., March 5.-Rensselaer High School girls' basketball team defeated Hammond High School girls last night by a score of 25 to 5. The game Sixth-Mile and one-sixteenth; selling: will come before the meeting, as will sev- championship of northern Indiana high was the last of a series to decide the

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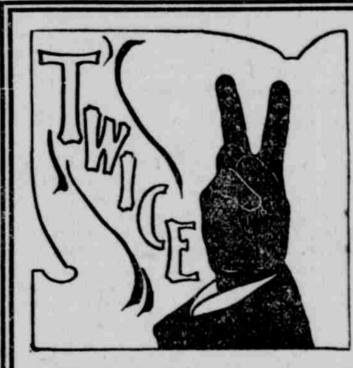
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WILL BE REORGANIZED

Again and Two New Clubs May Be Admitted.

Plans for the reorganization of the Comway. The six clubs that were last year's members of the Commercial League will, into the camp of the lightweights, in all probability, enter again this year, and two new clubs may be admitted, making an eight-club league. Frank G. Lowry, last year's president, will soon call a preliminary meeting, when he will formally resign that office and conclude minor de-

tails of the new organization. The Wasson Club that won the championship last season, will again enter the league. The Kahns, Harmon & Halls, great chance to develop themselves and American Express and Atkins clubs will would be a good move in other respects. also ask for admittance this year. L. S. Ayers, the New York store and the Star store may be represented this season. Two of last year's umpires will be retained and a set of official scorers will be appointed.

Schnefer to Be a Brewer.

MILWAUKEE, March 5 .- Herman Schaefer, shortstop for the champion St. Paul form next year. This deal was consum- world in less than ten rounds. No person mated after a fight in which Minneapolis, has greater admiration for Gans's ability Indianapolis, Seattle and Milwaukee were | than I have. No, sir; no Gans for my

CORBETT WON'T FIGHT CHAMPION JOE GANS

Back for Two Years and Then Beat Them All.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5 .- It seems evident that Young Corbett has no desire, at present, to go out of his class and jump Asked who he expected to nominate after

"That's looking quite a way ahead. But I will fight any 126-pound man they bring

"Corbett could fight at 124 pounds," cut in Harry Tuthill, who watches his weight like a fox. "That's what he could. Really. Corbett is not as heavy a man as many

rolling off a log." "Then you never aspire to be the lightweight champion and fight Joe Gans?" "Fight Gans!" blurted Corbett. "Fight

think he is. He can make 126 pounds like

Gans! I should say not! There is one man I take my hat off to. That coon is one grand fighter, and I don't want anything to do with him. They have been telling me that Gans has gone back. Well, all I have got to say is that Gans can go back for two years and then beat any lightweight in the